



# KNIGHTLY NEWS

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District 52 Division 111

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## Grand Knight's Message

Our Crab Feed was a resounding success. Brothers Gary Benevedo, Frank RochaVaz and many others worked very hard and provided a great venue for fellowship and food. Thanks to all who contributed their time and talents. Due to the large turn out and support, this is now planned to be an annual early spring event.

We will be very busy the next few months with a lot of activities starting with our **Shroud of Turin** presentation in the parish hall on Wednesday April 12 (See last page). There will be a free fresh fish dinner served at 6:00 p.m. and the presentation to follow at 7:00 p.m. This event is always well received and very informative.

Our annual **Spring Dinner and Auction** will be in the beginning of May. We still need donations for the silent auction. Do you know any local businesses who would like to donate items or sponsor a table? Please let me or Brother Gabe Huck know. The Annual State Convention will be in San Diego in May. All the information (and much more) is on the State website.

If you have not attended any of the Council Meetings or Potlucks, I urge you to do so. Not only is it a great time to catch up with your fellow brothers and loved ones, but it also affords you the opportunity to help our council grow and have a greater impact on our parish.

Please take the time to read the Columbian Magazine, Pray the Rosary and remember those less fortunate. REMEMBER: How can you help?

Vivat Jesus,  
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## District Deputy Message

Brothers,

I wish you all a happy and joyous Easter season.

**May 7 will be World Day of Prayer for Vocations.** Each council is encouraged to conduct an event to make your parish aware of this opportunity to pray or participate with others in praying for vocations.

Our Lady of Guadalupe Silver Rose began its journey in March from Canada. The Silver Rose will continue across North America during the next several months. It will arrive in Monterrey, Mexico on December 12<sup>th</sup> at the shrine of Our Lady of Guadalupe. Every stop it makes is another opportunity for prayer. As I learn of the nearest route, I will pass on the information. You can also contact the Silver Rose chairman if you wish additional info.

Remember and attend upcoming degrees.

Dan Anderson DD



## GOOD OF THE ORDER

As a Knight's first duty is to pray, let us continue to pray for peace and justice in our world and an end to the destructive hate and violence surrounding us each day. Please pray for Dolores Anderson, Taylor Anderson, Ed Dionne, Fr. Victor, Mel Ormonde, Fr. Alphonse, Fr. Allen, Brother Rafael, Frank RochaVaz III, Debbie Perrault, Jenny Casalee, J.D. O'Meara, George Mahoney, Joe Hidalgo, and Paul & Mona Adame.

Please do not forget to include in your prayers those listed in the Parish Bulletin who are ill.

**Please let us know if you have any prayer requests.**

**MEMBERSHIP: Please be sure to return your membership information ASAP. We especially need an email address, so we can better communicate with you.**

**April is a very busy month for the Knights. Please pray for our efforts and lend a helping hand.**

### THE CORPORAL WORKS OF MERCY

To Feed the Hungry  
To Clothe the Naked  
To Give Drink to the Thirsty  
To Shelter the Homeless  
To Visit the Imprisoned  
To Visit the Sick  
To Bury the Dead with Dignity

### THE SPIRITUAL WORKS OF MERCY

To instruct the ignorant  
To counsel the doubtful  
To admonish sinners  
To bear wrongs patiently  
To forgive offenses willingly  
To comfort the afflicted  
To pray for the living and  
the dead

## CALENDAR 2017

APRIL	
1	First Degree Ceremonial: 11:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.
12	<b>POTLUCK: NONE in April: Please attend Shroud of Turin Dinner</b> The Shroud of Turin: Easter Program; 6:00 p.m.: Dinner; 7:00 p.m. Presentation (See last page)
16	Corporate Mass (3rd Sunday): 10:30 a.m.
19	Council Meeting: Officers 6:00 p.m., Rosary 6:45 p.m., General 7:00 p.m.
21	Movie Knight: <i>The 12 Apostles</i> : 6:30 p.m.
26-30	Altar/Rosary Society Fabulous Finds: HELP needed: please contact Bernice Gamble bpgamble@sbcglobal.net
<i>The Knights are requesting at least one non-perishable item for those attending Movie Knight. These will be added to the Parish's ongoing collection for the Five Cities' Christian Women's food distribution center. Non-perishable food items also are collected in the hutch in the vestibule of the church. Whether one can or a case, all items are needed and greatly appreciated.</i>	
<i>Please plan to attend and/or help with the various activities!</i>	

## Plan Ahead--May

6: Spring Fling: 5:00-9:00 p.m.  
7: World Day of Prayer for Vocations  
14: Mother's Day Breakfast: after 8/10:30 a.m. Masses  
10: Potluck: 6:00-7:00 p.m.  
17: Council Meeting: Officers 6pm, Rosary 6:45pm, General 7:00 p.m. (nominations of new officers)  
19: Movie Knight: 6:30 p.m.  
21: Corporate Mass (3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday): 10:30 a.m.  
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## Council Considerations

Please welcome our new brothers: David Cansella and Michael Schacherer.  
First Degree Ceremonial: April 1: St. Paul Parish Hall: 11:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.

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Rev. Carl Drew  
Chris Garza  
Steven Hin  
Gabe Huck  
David Jones  
Peter Krynak

Robert Lewis  
Brother Jason Lody  
Harry Luis  
George Mahoney  
Thomas Mascari  
John Solva  
Wayne Toscas



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### CRAB FEED

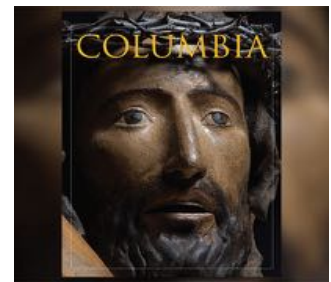
What a night!! We used every ounce of crab and could have used more. Delicious cheese and sausage greeted guests to start the meal and there was a wonderful quiet as everyone cracked shells and enjoyed the crab. To all those who helped (including spouses), the Knights are most grateful. To all those who attended (we sold all 150 tickets), the Knights say THANK-YOU!! Plans are in the works for the next Crab Feed so get your crackers ready.

**PARISH NEWS ANNUAL MINISTRY APPEAL**--The Bishop has provided a very informative brochure about our diocese and services rendered to fellow Catholics. Over 23,000 Masses are celebrated yearly; nearly 4500 First Communions; over 208,000 Catholic faithful; 19 migrant camps receiving services, and 18 Catholic schools. The calling is enormous . . . and growing. Let's be sure EVERY Knight contributes during this annual appeal.

### COLUMBIA MAGAZINE

Our monthly magazine never fails to inspire us as we join Brother Knights throughout the world to do good for God. Reward yourself and take some time to read it. This month's issue is no exception:

1. Supreme Grand Knight Carl Anderson remembers the persecution of Christians in Japan in the 17th century; yet, there has been impressive growth of the faith in the island nation.
2. Today, the indescribable suffering and destruction of Christians in the Middle East saddens all hearts. The Knights, however, have worked mightily to offer comfort to survivors. A new, moving Novena is now available.
3. Cherishing the past, the huge 14th century Crucifix in St Peter's Basilica has been restored with help of the Knights.
4. St. Joseph and our founder, the Venerable Michael J. McGivney, form the center of an inspiring article entitled "Our Fathers in Faith."
5. "A Call to Spiritual Arms" emphasizes the secret of masculine strength lies in faith, prayer and a sacramental life.



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### KNIGHTS CARE

Praising his "resolute defense of persecuted Christians," an institute at Belmont Abbey College has awarded its Benedict Leadership Award to Carl Anderson, Supreme Knight of the Knights of Columbus.

The Benedict Leadership Institute cited Anderson's leading role in advocating protection for Christians facing genocide in Iraq, Syria, and elsewhere. The Knights of Columbus have raised more than \$11 million for humanitarian relief for Christian refugees in the Middle East.

### FOR SALE BY OWNER

Complete set of Encyclopedia Britannica, 45 volumes. Excellent condition, \$200 or best offer. No longer needed, got married, wife knows everything.

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**The Shroud of Turin**  
**Wednesday April 12, 2017**  
**Free Dinner and**  
**Presentation**

**A One Hour  
Authenticated  
Non-Denominational  
Presentation including  
Prayer,  
Forensic Details,  
History of the Shroud,  
Videos, Slides,  
Artifacts, and a  
Question and Answer  
Session**

**First-Class Relic  
Facsimiles of:**  
- The Cloth  
- Whips and Nails  
- Crown of Thorns  
- Pictures  
- Documents



**WHERE?**  
**Saint Paul the Apostle Catholic Church Hall**  
**800 Bello Street, Pismo Beach**

**Sponsored By**  
**Knights of Columbus, Saint Maximilian Kolbe Council 8762**

**Limited Seating**

**Presented by**  
**Chris Knabenshue**



**Call to make your reservations by 3/31/17**  
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